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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

CONFIRMATION NO. 5971

In re the application of:)
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 Takahiko Kawahara, et al.)
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 Serial No.: 10/681,276) Art Unit : 2828
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 Filed : October 9, 2003) Examiner : James A. MENEFEE

For: SEMICONDUCTOR OPTICAL DEVICE, SEMICONDUCTOR LASER
DEVICE, SEMICONDUCTOR OPTICAL MODULATION DEVICE, AND
SEMICONDUCTOR OPTICAL INTEGRATED DEVICE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A reply to the Office Action filed August 8, 2005 is due by November 8, 2005.

Therefore, please accept this Amendment as timely filed.

In response to the Office Action filed August 8, 2005, kindly amend the above-identified patent application as follows.